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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS AND TO CORRECT INFORMALITIES

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated 4 June 2001, Applicants file herewith an executed declaration and a check in the amount of \$1,014.00 to cover the filing fee and late fee for Small Entity. Applicants claim Small Entity status. Applicants also file herewith a petition for a three-month extension of time and a check in the amount of \$460.00 for a three-month extension for a Small Entity. Accordingly, this response is due November 5, 2001. Applicants also submit a set of drawings (Figs. 1-19 on 12 sheets) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

No additional fees are considered due in connection with this matter. However, any necessary fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1448.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

The background status (37 CFR 1.27).

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Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1138.

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■ \$738 for 41 total claims over 20.

■ \$400 for 5 independent claims over 3.

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• The oath or declaration is missing.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The balance due by applicant is \$ 1978.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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